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Serial No.	
1	From The Asst to the Hon'ble the Resident F 78 (11) - 41/W & 2nd Sept. 41 re occupancy tests of air raid shelters. There does not seem to be any Air Raid shelter in the Sch. Anyway the ISP will be consulted Subd for perusal with a draft to the ISP. RS 2/X Cfo 2/10 Chief Sec Asst 2/10
	Sir Cfo 3/10
2	Issued 825/W & 3rd Octr. 41 to the ISP.
	From The ISP.
3.	ARP. 13/41-42 & 14th Octr. 41 Stating that no A.R Shelters have been provided in the Met Subd for perusal with a draft and fair & a reply to the Residency RS 17/X Cfo 17/10 Chief Sec Land Minister MK 20/10/41 Sir 2W/W MK 22/10 Sir
4	J Issued Pol 604 & 22nd Octr. 41 MK 10 to the Resy

17 OCT. 1941 GOVT. OF MYSORE
THE MINISTER FOR LAW
OCT 1941

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644/W

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

No. F.78(11)-40/W.

FROM

THE SECRETARY
TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVT. OF MYSORE. 30 SEP. 1941

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Dated Bangalore, the 29th Septr. *1941*.

A.R.P. - Occupancy tests of air raid shelters.

SIR,

I am directed to forward for information a copy of a letter from the Government of India, Home Department to all Provincial Governments, etc., No.78/120/41-A.R.P., dated the 13th September 1941. I am to request that, if there is no objection, the results of actual occupancy tests, if any, of air raid shelters, carried out in the Mysore State, may kindly be forwarded to this Residency for transmission to the Government of India.

2. The favour of an early reply is requested.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M Daman Nazar

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

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Copy of a letter from the Government of India, Home Department, to all Provincial Governments, etc. No.78/120/41-A.R.P., dated the 13th September 1941.

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I am directed to say that the Government of India have had under consideration the scale of accommodation per person for shelters in India, and to state that up to the present no generally accepted scale has been laid down.

It is therefore highly desirable that results of actual occupancy tests, if any, of air raid shelters, carried out at different times of the year and in various parts of India should be collected in order that a satisfactory scale may be formulated.

It is requested that the results of all such tests made by Provincial Governments may kindly be forwarded as early as possible to the Government of India.

The reports should contain the fullest details, including the following: -

(1) Type of shelter above or below ground.
(2) Types of thicknesses of materials.
(3) Amount of earth mounding if provided.
(4) Method of ventilation (with approximate rate of air movement).
(5) Whether sealed against gas or not.

Detailed drawings, if available, should be supplied. Failing this the following details are required: -

Length, width, height, gross cubic capacity, total surface area of walls, floors and ceiling, area of floor, number of persons for which the shelter is intended.

The reports should also indicate whether the tests were carried out under the supervision of a medical officer.

It is understood that tests had been made by the Executive Engineer, Calcutta and the Chief Engineer, Bombay Port Trust. The Governments of Bengal and Bombay are requested to forward a copy of the results of the tests made by these officers.

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To

IGP

A.R.P - occupancy tests of air raid shelters.

Sir, I am directed to forward for information a copy of his letter no F.78(IV)-A dated 29th Sept. 41, with its enclosure, and to request whether any Air raid Shelters have been provided so far anywhere in the State and actual occupancy tests carried out. If not, it will be desirable to do so with a view to ascertaining the results of the trials before the Rainy season.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Chief Secretary to Govt.

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Camp: Mysore,
xxxxxxx 3rd October 1941.

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

A.R.P. - Occupancy tests of air raid shelters.

I am directed to enclose herein for information a copy of Residency letter No.F.78(11)-40/W dated the 29th September 1941 with its enclosure, and to enquire whether any air raid shelters have been provided so far anywhere in the State and actual occupancy tests carried out at any time and if so with what results.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

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Tele {gram: POLICE
phone: 2108

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE,

No. A.R.P. 13/41-42

~~Bangalore~~ Camp Mysore, dated 11th October 1941

FROM

E. G. B. PEEL, Esq., C.I.E.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

The Chief Secretary
to the Government of Mysore,
Camp Mysore.

SIR,

A.R.P. - Occupancy tests of air raid shelters.

In reply to your letter No. 825/W dated 3-10-1941 I have the honour to state that no air raid shelters have so far been provided and consequently no occupancy tests have been carried out.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

E G B Peel

INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

Dated, Bangalore, 19th October 1941.

No. Col 684 / W 128-40-4

From

Rajasevaprasaktha
B. T. KESAVAIENGAR, Esq., B. A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Subject:- A.R.P. - Occupancy tests of air raid shelters.

With reference to your letter No.F.78(11)-40/W dated 29th September 1941 on the above subject, I am directed to state that no Air Raid Shelters have so far been provided in this State and consequently no occupany tests have been carried out.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

for Chief Secretary to Government.